

**PATENT**

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For: **ORIENTED POLYMER IMPLANTABLE DEVICE  
AND PROCESS FOR MAKING SAME**

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**AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO THIRD AND FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In regard to the third and Final Office Action dated June 29, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Please enter Applicants' **Amendments to the Claims**, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Applicants provide **Remarks** that begin on page 8 of this paper.

Applicants believe that no fee is due in connection with this response. If this turns out to be erroneous, the Finance Division is authorized to debit or credit the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-1020 in the amount of the deficiency or excess.